## House Resolution No. 2049

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most joyful, rewarding, and miraculous events; and

Whereas, it is with both pride and pleasure that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of this great state; and

Whereas, Miriam Elizabeth Gleeson entered this world at 12:30 p.m. on April 1, 2003, and received a delightful welcome from the smiling faces of her parents, Bill and Sarah Gleeson of Mexico, Missouri; and

Whereas, tipping the scales at seven pounds, eleven ounces, little Miriam was pronounced the very picture of infant health and beauty by the professional staff at Audrain Medical Center; and

Whereas, news of Miriam's birth soon warmed the hearts of other family members, including her grandparents, Donald "Buck" and Barbara Green of Auxvasse and Kenny and Donna Gleeson of Rhineland; and her great-grandparents, Floyd and Margeret Willows of Hannibal, John and Katherine Gleeson of Big Spring, and Estelle Elsenroot of Rhineland; and

Whereas, Miriam will never lack love, support, or encouragement because of these wonderfully devoted relatives who will forever play an important part in the growth and development of this spectacular child in the years to come; and

Whereas, Miriam will benefit especially from the loving care of her mother, who works for the Mexico Public School District, and her father, who is employed by St. Brendan School; and

Whereas, although she is only two and one-half weeks old, Miriam Gleeson can rest assured that she has been blessed with the best family in the whole wide world:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join in extending a very cordial Show-Me State welcome to Miriam Gleeson and in offering our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to her parents, Bill and Sarah Gleeson, upon the precious birth of their beautiful baby girl; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the parents of adorable, little Miriam Elizabeth Gleeson, as a memento of her early days of Missouri citizenship.

Offered by
Representative Steve Hobbs
District No. 21
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 2049, adopted

April 22, 2003.